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This is a response to the Office Action mailed from the Patent Office on June 19, 2000.

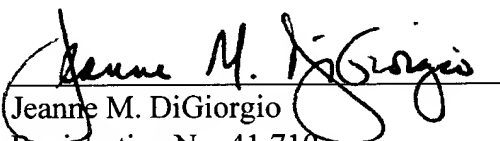
Applicants hereby elect the single Lol p V peptide, LPIX-4 (SEQ ID NO:6) without traverse. Applicants further elect the first peptide mixture in claim 22 (LPIX-4 (SEQ ID NO:6), LPIX-5 (SEQ ID NO:7), LPIX-6 (SEQ ID NO:8), LPIX-16 (SEQ ID NO:18), LPIX-17 (SEQ ID NO:19), and LPIX-20 (SEQ ID NO:22)) without traverse.

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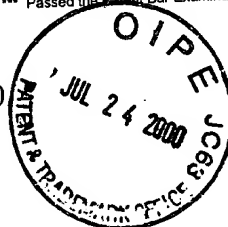
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